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TO AMEMBASSY NAIROBI FLASH

INFO AMEMBASSY GABORONE IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY PRETORIA IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY MASERU IMMEDIATE

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FOR AMBASSADOR MARSHALL

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, KE, LT, US

SUBJECT: YOUR ATTENDANCE AT LESOTHO 10TH ANNIVERSARY  
CELEBRATIONS

1. BECAUSE AMBASSADOR SCHAUFLE WILL BE ENGAGED IN  
IMPORTANT NEGOTIATIONS IN CONNECTION WITH OUR SOUTHERN  
AFRICAN INITIATIVE AT THE TIME OF 10TH ANNIVERSARY  
CELEBRATIONS AT MASERU (WHERE HE WAS TO HEAD U.S.  
DELEGATION), WE ARE APPOINTING YOU IN HIS PLACE. LETTERS  
OF CREDENCE ARE BEING PREPARED AND WILL BE FORWARDED TO YOU  
AT MASERU. YOU SHOULD BE IN MASERU ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 3,  
AND REMAIN THERE THROUGH OCTOBER 4.

2. WE VERY MUCH REGRET THAT THIS FORCES YOU TO MAKE LAST  
MINUTE CHANGES TO YOUR PLANS TO COME TO U.S. BUT YOU ARE  
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THE LOGICAL PERSON FOR THIS ASSIGNMENT.BECAUSE OF THE

SENSITIVE AND IMPORTANT NATURE OF OUR NEGOTIATIONS, WE  
NEED TO KEEP AMBASSADORS LOW, SPAIN AND DEPREE AT THEIR  
POSTS AT THIS TIME.

3. FURTHER DETAILS WILL BE CABLED TO YOU PROMPTLY. ROBINSON

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